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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

No doubt about what the Barre Democrats will do in their caucus tonight.

The question may well be asked, "What's the matter with Kansas?" when that state has fifty first degree murder-

ers awaiting execution. The answer will be that Kansas retains a capital punishment law, while it does not believe in enforcing it.

The new senator from Delaware is a powerful man; he's Dupont of powder fame.

Gov. Bell is now Dr. Bell also, by gift of Norwich university, which made him an L. D. yesterday.

There are a great many men who will be pleased to get caught in Montpelier's gilded cage—the State House.

THE LACK OF MINISTERS.

There comes a great cry from the religious statisticians that the supply of ministers is falling short of the needs of the churches, and they are supported by the figures of the number of pastorless churches, as well as by the small number of graduates of the divinity

schools of the country. Not only is the number of graduates remaining small, but the classes to enter the training schools for the ministry are not increasing in the same proportion as the entering classes of the regular college courses and the scientific schools. This has been the situation for several years, and the results are now beginning to be felt in the churches without leaders. The lack of ministers is perhaps the most clearly shown in the Episcopal denomination, which last year, according to statistics, added 219 churches, and showed a net gain in clergymen of only 70. Like conditions, although less pronounced, are said to be shown in nearly all the other denominations, although the Catholic church has considerably more clergymen than there are single churches. In Vermont it is easy to advance one reason why more young men are not entering the ministry, and it is because of the meagerness of the emoluments of the work. To be compelled

to run side issues, as country ministers frequently do, in order to get a satisfactory living, is not a very alluring inducement for the ambitious young men. This very shortage of clergymen will indirectly result in an increase soon, for it means that better salaries will be paid. When the minister's salary in the country districts becomes of a size comparable with other professions, the young men will once more turn their eyes to the ministry.

A TICKET OF YOUNG MEN.

A glance at the sketches of the lives of the men nominated for the state ticket by the Republicans of Vermont reveals one peculiar fact—that it is preeminently a ticket of young men. Every man of the six nominees for high office in the state is a young man, none having yet reached the age of fifty years, which may be counted as the low limit of the middle age period. The average age of the six is between forty and forty-one years of age. Leading off in point of years is the nominee for governor, Fletcher D. Proctor, whose age is 46. He has several years yet to pass before he can properly class himself with the middle-aged. Two years younger is the nominee for lieutenant governor, George H. Prouty, while of like length of life is Horace F. Graham, the man chosen to run as his own successor in the office of state auditor. Then, taking a jump into the thirties, comes Frederick G. Fleetwood, young both in years and looks, and counting 37 cycles of time. Next to him is the attorney general, Clarke C. Fitts, whose good service during the past two years warranted his renomination for that very responsible position. And finally, the youngest one of the lot and perhaps the newest aspirant for official position before the public, Edward H. Deavitt, of Montpelier, who will be thirty-five next fall.

From these statistics it will be seen that should the Republican ticket triumph, as it always does, the official slate of Vermont will for once contain a list of young men throughout, without a single exception. This typifies perhaps more accurately than anything else the trend of politics in the Green Mountain state. The young men are taking a hand and the older heads are laying down the burden of active participation, reserving, however, the opportunity to extend counsel.

DECISION ON JUNE 30.

In Case of the McFarland Girl at Hyde Park.

Hyde Park, June 22.—The arguments were finished yesterday in the case of Mrs. Whittier vs. F. H. McFarland in which the mother seeks to regain custody of the daughter, Blanche McFarland, and Judge Powers has taken it under consideration. A decision will be rendered on Saturday, June 30.



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This is White Wash Suit and Dress Weather, also a good time to buy Duck, Linen and Lawn Skirts. We have unusually attractive ones that are worth all we ask for them.

So much for the second floor of our store, but the first floor has a hundred and one things that a little money will buy, priced especially for the occasion.

HOSIERY.

First, Hosiery—A couple hundred pairs of Ladies' Black Hose, all sizes, at 9c per pair.

Twelve Dozen Children's Hose, sizes 7 and 7½, at 5c per pair.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

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Half a hundred more of those 2, 2½ and 3-yard lengths in all Linen Table Damask at about half price. Value, \$1.00 per yard. Sale price, 50c per yard.

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Special assortment of Belts at 10c, 20c and 30c each.

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TAFFETA SILKS.

Two hundred yards All Silk Taffeta Ribbon, five inches wide, consisting of all the popular shades, usually sold for 25c. Sale price, 18c per yard.

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